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October 16, 1998

Ms. Andrea S. Wilkins, Reports Analyst
Reports Analysis Division
Federal Election Commission
999 E Street NW
Washington, DC 20463

re: American Association of Physician Specialists, Inc. PAC
ID No: C00331017

Dear Ms. Wilkins:

This is in response to a letter you sent in September noting the PAC had made a contribution to a senate candidate greater than allowed by law. The situation was actually corrected by the candidate committee. The \$1,000 refund was deposited into the bank in July, 1998 and is reflected on the quarterly report which was just filed.

Enclosed is a copy of your letter and a copy of the letter and check sent by "Friends of Jim Inhofe Committee."

Thank you so much for your help. Please call me if there are any questions at 703-281-0700.

Very truly yours,

D. H. Scarborough, CPA

Enclosures:

cc: American Association of Physician Specialists, Inc.
Halsey, Raines & Associates L.L.C.



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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William J. Carbone, Treasurer
American Association of Physician
Specialist Inc. Political Action Committee
2111 Wilson Blvd., Suite 800
Arlington, VA 22201

SEP 9 1998

Identification Number: C00331017

Reference: July Quarterly Report (4/1/98-6/30/98)

Dear Mr. Carbone:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

Schedule B of your report (pertinent portion(s) attached) discloses a contribution(s) which appears to exceed the limits set forth in the Act. 2 U.S.C. §441a(a) precludes a non-multicandidate political committee and its affiliates, from making a contribution to a candidate for federal office in excess of \$1,000 per election. Please refer to the Campaign Guide for information on how a committee qualifies for multicandidate status.

If the contribution(s) in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with clarifying information. If you have made an excessive contribution, you should notify the recipient and request a refund of the amount in excess of \$1,000 and/or notify the recipient in writing of your redesignation of the contribution. In the best interest of your committee, all refunds and redesignations should be made within sixty days of the treasurer's receipt of the contribution(s).

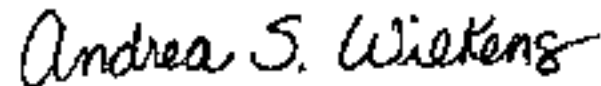
Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in writing and provide a photocopy of the refund request sent to the recipient committee(s). In addition, any refunds should be disclosed on Schedule A, supporting Line 16 of the report covering the period during which they are received. Any redesignations should be disclosed as memo entries on

Schedule B, supporting Line 23 of the report covering the period during which the redesignation is made. 11 CFR §110.1(b)

Although the Commission may take further legal action regarding the excessive contribution(s), your prompt action in obtaining a refund and/or redesignating the contribution(s) will be taken into consideration.

A written response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530. My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,



Andrea S. Wilkens
Reports Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

SCHEDULE B

ITEMIZED DISBURSEMENTS CONTRIBUTIONS FOR FEDERAL CANDIDATES

 Use separate schedule(s)
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Any information copied from such Reports and Statements may not be used by any person for the purpose of soliciting contributions or for commercial purposes, other than using the name and address of any political committee to solicit contributions from such committee.

 NAME OF COMMITTEE (in Full) **AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF PHYSICIAN SPECIALISTS, INC.
 POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE**

 A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code
**Friends of Jim Inhofe
 12 Leadership Square
 Oklahoma City, OK 73102**

 Purpose of Disbursement
**Jim Inhofe, Senate
 Candidate, OK**
 Disbursement for: ☐ Primary ☒ General
☐ Other (specify)

 Date (month,
 day, year)
6/7/98

 Amount of Each
 Disbursement This Period
\$2,000.00

B. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code

 Purpose of Disbursement
 Disbursement for: ☐ Primary ☐ General
☐ Other (specify)

 Date (month,
 day, year)

 Amount of Each
 Disbursement This Period

C. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code

 Purpose of Disbursement
 Disbursement for: ☐ Primary ☐ General
☐ Other (specify)

 Date (month,
 day, year)

 Amount of Each
 Disbursement This Period

D. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code

 Purpose of Disbursement
 Disbursement for: ☐ Primary ☐ General
☐ Other (specify)

 Date (month,
 day, year)

 Amount of Each
 Disbursement This Period

E. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code

 Purpose of Disbursement
 Disbursement for: ☐ Primary ☐ General
☐ Other (specify)

 Date (month,
 day, year)

 Amount of Each
 Disbursement This Period

F. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code

 Purpose of Disbursement
 Disbursement for: ☐ Primary ☐ General
☐ Other (specify)

 Date (month,
 day, year)

 Amount of Each
 Disbursement This Period

G. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code

 Purpose of Disbursement
 Disbursement for: ☐ Primary ☐ General
☐ Other (specify)

 Date (month,
 day, year)

 Amount of Each
 Disbursement This Period

H. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code

 Purpose of Disbursement
 Disbursement for: ☐ Primary ☐ General
☐ Other (specify)

 Date (month,
 day, year)

 Amount of Each
 Disbursement This Period

I. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code

 Purpose of Disbursement
 Disbursement for: ☐ Primary ☐ General
☐ Other (specify)

 Date (month,
 day, year)

 Amount of Each
 Disbursement This Period

SUBTOTAL of Disbursements This Page (optional)

\$2,000.00

TOTAL This Period (last page this line number only)

\$2,000.00



June 29, 1998

Halsey, Rains & Associates L.L.C.
Attention: Laurie Rains
2111 Wilson Boulevard
Suite 800
Arlington, VA 22201

Dear Ms. Rains:

Enclosed is a check to refund \$1,000.00 to the American Association of Physician Specialists PAC. The Federal Election Commission prohibits campaign committees from accepting more than \$1,000.00 from a Political Action Committee that has not reached multi-candidate status.

The Friends of Jim Inhofe Committee would like to thank the American Association of Physician Specialists PAC for their very generous contribution.

Sincerely,



Sonja Craig
Comptroller

Enclosure

Friends of Jim Inhofe Committee

Paid for by Friends of Jim Inhofe.

3620 Barwick Drive
Norman, OK 73072
Tel. (405) 848-6060 • FAX (405) 848-6196

FRIENDS OF JIM INHOFE COMMITTEE
1620 BARWICK DRIVE
NORMAN, OK 73072

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PAY
TO THE
ORDER OF

American Association of Physician Specialists

DATE 6-23-98

35-0024
1030

One thousand dollars & no/100

\$ 1,000.00

BANK ONE OKLAHOMA, NA
OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73125

DOLLARS

FOR Refund Contribution




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